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## **Alumni Board**

## **Chapter News**

#### **Physical Plant**

Summer for many of us means repairs around the house. This is no less true for the Lambda Chi Alpha house on campus. We are replacing 62 windows in the house, at a cost of \$49,000. To accomplish this project, we borrowed \$25,000 from the University. This loan is amortized into our annual rental rate from Lehigh. Please remember, when you contribute to Lehigh, you can earmark dollars for the Lambda Chi Alpha PLA account for deferred maintenance projects.

#### Fall Board Meeting ~ October 19

The fall Alumni Board meeting of the BGPZ House Corporation Board is scheduled for October 19, 2002 at 9:00 a.m. at the chapter house. Any alumni interested in serving as board members or in coordinating alumni social activities (golf outings, tailgate parties and the like) should contact either Walt Keiper (610-332-1336 or wkeiper@fest.org) or Tony Franchina (973-236-2467 or afranchina@att.com). Our thanks to those who plan to get involved!

#### Gamma Psi 2nd in GPA Ranking

Our chapter had a Spring GPA of 3.052, which placed us second out of 25 fraternities on campus. Lambda Chi Alpha beat the All Fraternity, All Men, All Greek, All Undergraduate and All Women GPAs! Congratulations! We are proud to note that our chapter has been in the top five GPA category for the last three years.

#### **Campus Leadership and Involvement**

This spring, many brothers continued their involvement in various campus organizations, such as student senate, executive tour guides for Lehigh, gryphons for M&M and Dravo house,

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## Record Attendance at 2001 1962-66 Reunion Plan Now to Attend in September 2003

A record crowd attended the September 2001 reunion of 1962-66 Gamma-Psi alumni and, as you can tell by all the smiling faces in the photo, a great time was had by all! Planning for the

September 2003 reunion is already underway. For more information, contact Don Speakman at 410-827-0684 or speakman@shore.intercom.net.



Front row, left to right: Suzanne Robertson, Anna Slaterpryce, Susie Breckley, Carol Ridler, Sharon Jackson, Bonnie Cusma. Second row: Archie Robertson, Al Slaterpryce, Steve Breckley, Don Bosten, Art Ridler, Bob Jackson, Bob Cusma, John Olandt, Lois Demoyer. Back row: Paul and Janet Haldeman, Wayne Martin, Beverly Stout, Bob Stout, Don Speakman, Dave Pierce, Ron Small, John Popek, Barbara Popek, Bob Demoyer.

# Annual Fund Donations Crucial to Continued Communications and Gamma-Psi Experiences

By Walt Keiper '85 Alumni President

As summer comes to an end, our undergraduate brothers are returning to campus for another year of personal and academic pursuits. I'm sure you can recall the energy and excitement as brothers reconnected, sharing stories of the summer and looking forward to the year ahead.

Gamma-Psi of Lambda Chi Alpha continues to provide the opportunities for leadership, friendship and a lifelong bond which you experienced during your time at Lehigh. Financial support of the Brothers of Gamma-Psi Zeta, Inc. annual fund makes these opportunities possible through scholarships, resources and a house that allows our brothers to continue the Lambda Chi spirit.

Please consider making a contribution of \$50 or more to the 2002 annual fund. It is crucial that all brothers financially support the brotherhood. Gamma-Psi alumni have been generous in the past, and we are counting on your participation!

Please take a moment to make your gift to the annual fund and to update your brothers on what's new with you. A postage-paid envelope and reply form are enclosed.

P.S. Would you be who and where you are today without the affiliation of Lambda Chi Alpha?

### **Board & Chapter News**

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tutoring, assisting students with network problems through Lehigh's WIRED group, treasurer of JIFC, Greek Week Committee, lacrosse, rugby, soccer and University Productions.

#### Gamma Psi Cost of Living Still a Good Deal

Our AM class this year consisted of nine new members. With the addition of this new class, there will be 28 brothers living in the house for 2002-2003, which brings the occupancy level down to 82 percent from the spring's 97 percent level. This level is still above the minimum and our cost of living is still below the average Lehigh room and board rate.

#### Alumni Event Input Needed

The chapter is looking for suggestions for an alumni event that would attract more alumni than the typical Lehigh-Lafayette weekend. What kind of activities would get you to come back to Gamma Psi? Send your recommendations to High Rho Peter Castellino at pfc4@lehigh.edu.

# 2002 Lehigh Football Schedule

#### September

21 PRINCETON

(YOUTH ALUMNI DAY 1:00)\*

28 at Penn

#### October

- 5 HARVARD
- 12 at Towson
- 19 YALE

(SENIOR ALUMNI DAY 1:00)\*

26 at Holy Cross

#### November

- 2 at Fordham
- 9 COLGATE
- 16 BUCKNELL
- 23 at Lafayette
- 30 NCAA PLAYOFFS

Home games are in capital letters.

\* There is no more homecoming game.
Now there is Youth Alumni Day for those who graduated within the last five or six years, and Senior Alumni Day.

## Alumni DDates

#### Russell C. Jordan '44

(P.O. Box 770188, Orlando, FL 32877-0188; rjordan7@ix.netcom.com) My wife, Joan, and I are now back in New Jersey for the summer months. Before leaving Orlando last month, we had the pleasure of visiting with brother Larry Long '47 and wife, Betty, in the Tampa area where they recently moved from Atlanta. Hoping to get back to the campus for a football game in the fall, before heading south once again.

#### Edgar A. Bergmiller '52

(190 Escambia Ln., Apt. 202, Cocoa Beach, FL 32931-4157; eberg2@yahoo.com) I continue to enjoy retirement in Cocoa Beach, FL, busying myself through a variety of volunteer organizations. Periodically keep in touch with brothers Bill Blomfield '53, Bill Dempster '51 and Warren Maggio '52 via e-mail.

#### Dennis S. Howell '72

(4400 Woodward Mill Rd., Buford, GA 30518-4860) My latest news is that the company I worked for has downsized and I am now looking for new employment. I have my masters in electrical engineering and over twenty years of experience in developing hardware, software, and firmware for voice processing products. My email address is dshowell50@aol.com.

#### William A. Brichta '76

(5179 Apple Butter Hill Rd., Center Valley, PA 18034-9766; brichta@desales.edu) I have a daughter who graduated from Lehigh in 2001 and a son who is currently a sophomore at Lehigh. They are Rebecca Brichta '01 and Anthony Brichta '05, respectively.

#### Jay W. Larson '80

(3810 Sydna St., Bethlehem, PA 18017-1048; jwlarson1@aol.com) I'm very busy as scoutmaster of our son Greg's Boy Scout Troop. We had a great weeklong "survival" trip with sixteen scouts to a remote island in the Florida Keys last summer and this summer plan to spend a week building houses with Habitat for Humanity on the eastern shore of Virginia. Liz is already off to college and Sue is literally a full-time volunteer with the Girl Scouts.

#### Kevin R. Parke '81

(7 Appian Dr., Wellesley, MA 02481-1308) Thanks for the note. I was in Bethlehem two weeks ago for my first visit in twelve years. I had a chance to run past the house. It looks quite good and is now surrounded by sororities. We are living in Concord, Ma. Leila and I have four sons ages 5-14. I am the chief investment officer at MFS. Other than three down years in the market, life is good.

#### Brian D. Dorsey '87

(511 Amsterdam Ave., Apt. 4S, New York, NY 10024-3959; bddorsey@yahoo.com) I am living in Manhattan with my wife, Celeste, and our fifteen month old son, Miles. I work in NYC as the VP/Executive Producer for The Princeton Review and am expanding my sideline business as a professional photographer. I recently met up with brothers Tom Phillips '90, John Gianukakis '88, David Feng '88 and their families as well as little sister, Leslie Howard. My web site is www.bddorsey.com.

#### Todd A. Ebert '87

(4536 Saint James Dr., Plano, TX 75024-4724; toddandreg@earthlink.net) I am living in Dallas, TX and working as the director of marketing at Entrust, the market leader in Internet security software (encryption and digital signatures). I am married to Regan and have two children: Katie (3.5) and Jennifer (1). We also have one yellow Labrador named Rudder.

#### Peter N. Stamas '96

(882 Bay Ridge Ave., Brooklyn, NY 11220-5710) I am still with Lehman Brothers, but my posting moved from Tokyo to Singapore. I am working on the institutional sales desk for fixed income products. Should any alumni be living regionally or passing through, please contact me by phone at 65/6433.6410 (6411-direct) or fax at 65/6433.6175-7403.

#### Jason Galinski '98

(106 13th St. Unit 111 Charlestown, MA 02129; jgalinski@shipley.com) I was married on November 2, 2001 to Mary Beth Hanley '98 ME and AOPi sister. We are living in Charlestown (Boston), MA, and I work for Shipley Company as the facility and maintenance manager for the Metalorganics Manufacturing Electronic Materials Division. I will be traveling in July to start up a metalorganics packaging facility in Taiwan with Mary Beth, who also works for Shipley as the project manager.

#### C. R. Newell '02

(1005 Valley Stream Drive, Newark, DE 19702; crn2@lehigh.edu) I'm currently employed with MBNA America.